

# Advanced Art I Semester Project

For your 1<sup>st</sup> semester “semester test,” you will be creating a presentation regarding an artist or culture of your choice. You may choose the format for your presentation either powerpoint /keynote or Imovie.

With either choice you need to include the following for an A:

## 1.) Information about the artist or culture:

- Who is the artist or culture
- When did he or she live – or time period of the culture
- What is the style of his or her (or culture’s) work
- What is he or she most know for, or how can you tell their work apart from others
- Add anything else interesting about the art or artist that is unique.
- Overall what do you think about this artist or culture? (This could be just said after your presentation to sum things up.)

## 2.) Artwork:

- Include a min of 8 examples of his or her work or cultural
- Choose a wide variety, yet school appropriate to show
- List the title and date of each piece

## 3.) Creativity:

- Use of transitions
- Use of music or sounds
- Other images or ideas included

## 4.) Organization:

- Well put together, it all makes sense
- Everything works and flows well together

## 5.) Documentation:

- Use a min. of 2 different sources for your presentation. (look for creditable sources, I have given you a few ideas below)
- Document sources you used for information, audio clips, video clips, etc. Either in the last slide or last clip of the move.
- Follow the MLA format. You may use the citation program on Microsoft word or use the link: <http://citationmachine.net>

## 6.) Presentation:

- Present your information 2-4 minute presentation to the class. (during your semester test time slot)
- Prior to your semester test time email the presentation to Mrs. Comer at [rebecca.comer@ymbulldogs.com](mailto:rebecca.comer@ymbulldogs.com)

Other applications or ideas you may want to use in conjunction with powerpoint / keynote or imovie could include but are not limited to the following:

- iphoto, itunes, garageband, photobooth, google earth, podcast
- stykz, comic life, tux paint
- <http://www.screenjelly.com> (up to 3 min. audio)
- <http://www.wingclips.com> (free movie clips to use)
- <http://artlex.com/> (for art terms and definitions)
- <http://www.artcyclopedia.com> (Art search engine for art history, terms, definitions, links to art museums etc.)
- <http://www.freeplaymusic.com/> (free play music)
- <http://www.nga.gov/> (National Gallery of Art)
- <http://citationmachine.net> (to cite the information you use)
- Besides websites check out what the school library has to offer for resources. I also have a wide variety of sources you may borrow for this project.